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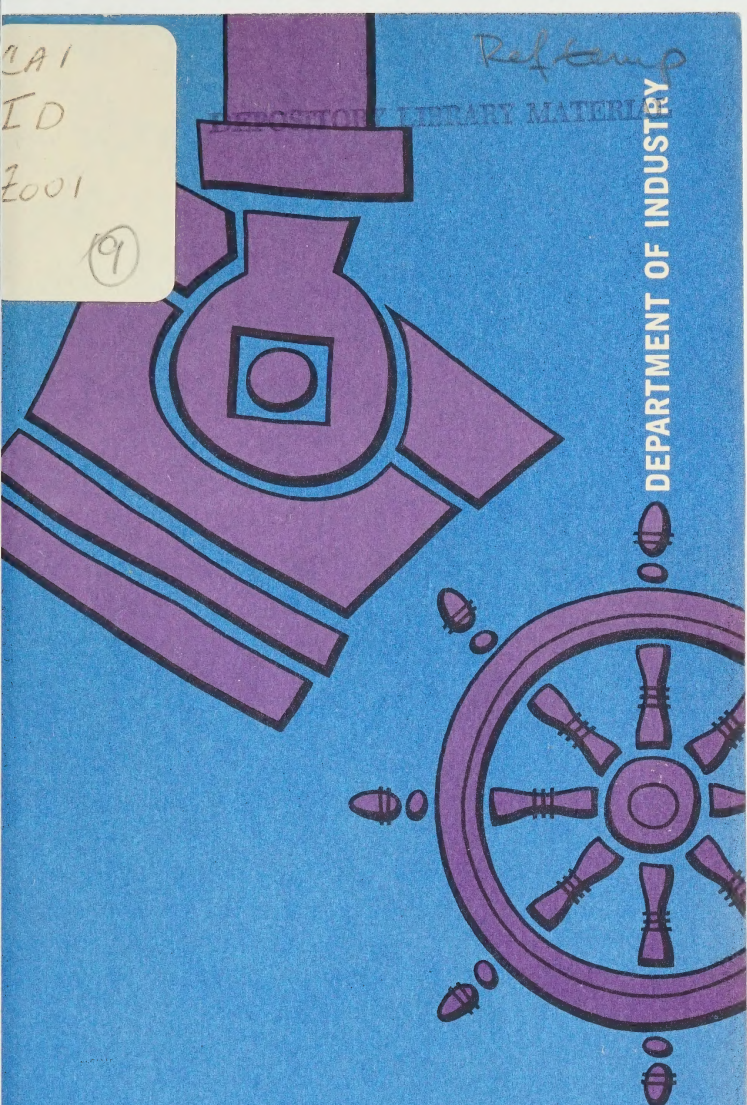
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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY



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PURPOSE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY

In recognition of the growing importance of manufacturing industry to the economy of Canada, the Department of Industry was formed to promote an economic environment which would encourage the establishment, growth and efficiency of industry throughout Canada.

Government activity has a significant influence on business conditions, and it is essential that it assist industry's adjustment to rapidly changing economic and technological conditions.

It is a primary concern of the Department of Industry that Government activity in the areas of monetary, foreign exchange, fiscal and commercial policies which are the major ones contributing to Government's influence on business should be formulated in a manner conducive to development of Canadian manufacturing.

In addition, the Department has a direct role to play through encouragement of technological and regional development.

Functions of the Shipbuilding and Heavy Equipment Branch

This Branch is one of ten established by the Department to provide for specialized examination of the needs of particular segments of manufacturing industry.

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It is directly responsible for the Federal Government's role in the development of the shipbuilding and heavy equipment industry in Canada.

Close liaison is maintained with other government agencies and departments in matters related to the industries with which the Branch is concerned. In addition, the Branch is available to serve any manufacturer, engineering consultant, or industry association with their overall plans or problems.

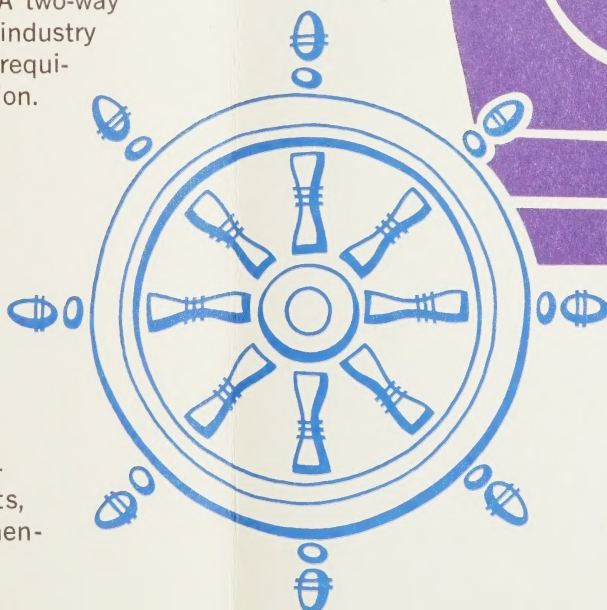
The effectiveness of the Branch, however, is largely dependent on the continuous acquisition of reliable and up-to-date information on industry conditions and problems. A two-way exchange of information between industry and government is therefore a pre-requisite for intelligent co-operative action.

Services Available

Branch representatives welcome the opportunity to discuss the services offered by the Department with company and association officials.

Branch personnel can advise firms in areas such as potential markets, import-export statistics, new technology and products, licensing arrangement and patents, relationships with other Governmen-

tal departments and agencies, and information on the various provisions for assistance offered by Government, including research and development where they have prime responsibility for implementing individual projects.



Organization of Branch

Two divisions have been established under the supervision of J. C. Rutledge, Director, and J. C. Stavert, Deputy Director:

Ship Division:

- Serves the shipbuilding industry, manufacturers of marine components and the builders of pleasure boats.

Heavy Equipment Division:

- Is concerned with the manufacturers and fabricators of heavy equipment products such as boilers and pressure vessels, nuclear plant equipment, steam and hydraulic turbines, pulp and paper machinery, heavy mill equipment, metal refining equipment, chemical processing equipment, cranes, hoists, hydraulic steel structures, etc.


Those seeking information or assistance are asked to communicate with the Director or the appropriate Division Chief at:

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